

REMARKS

Claims 1-24 are pending in the present Application. Claim 13 has been amended, and claim 20 cancelled, leaving claims 1-19 and 21-24 for consideration upon entry of the present amendment. Entry of the Amendment is requested because it places the claims in better condition for appeal.

In accordance with the Examiner's suggestion to cancel claim 20, which is drawn to an invention nonelected without traverse, Applicants have canceled claim 20.

In addition, claim 13 has been amended to properly depend from claim 1. No new matter was introduced by this amendment.

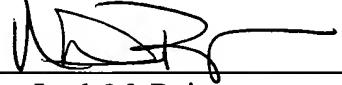
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